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Receipt is acknowledged of a request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114, including the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e) and a submission, filed on 11/2/06. The submission, however, is not fully responsive to the prior Office action because it does not address the objection to the drawings for failure to comply with 37 CFR 1.84(u)(1) concerning labeling of figures presented on multiple sheets or the objection to the claims for failure to comply with 37 CFR 1.126 due to two claims numbered as claim 31.

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